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No. SB 942

THE GOVERNOR

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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TO THE HONORABLE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE AND MEMBERS OF THE OKLAHOMA SENATE FIRST REGULAR SESSION OF THE FIFTY-NINTH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE

## ENROLLED SENATE BILL NO. 942:

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 11 of Article VI of the Oklahoma Constitution, I have vetoed Enrolled Senate Bill 942.

Oklahomans don't need reminding that I care about growing our economy and securing a prosperous future for all Oklahomans. And I have no doubt aerospace and defense investment and innovation will be part and parcel of that future.

That said, this Bill simply creates another unfunded and duplicitous grant program. Of course, I hope entities that would have been eligible for this aircraft engine testing program will explore other grant programs administered by our Department of Commerce. I'm confident other incentives are already available for those dedicated to enhancing the State's burgeoning aerospace and defense industries.

For these reasons, I have vetoed Enrolled Senate Bill 942.

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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